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In re Application of MARIONI

Application No. 10/784,856

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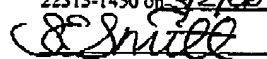
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For: SYNCHRONOUS ELECTRIC MOTOR, PARTICULARLY FOR WASHING  
MACHINES AND SIMILAR HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES WITH ROTARY DRUM  
CINEMATICALLY CONNECTED TO THE MOTOR THROUGH A BELT AND PULLEY  
LINK

**AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2005. Please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks/arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.**

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